

# Independent Verification & Validation

Are you entrusted with or engaged in a project that is highly visible within your organization?

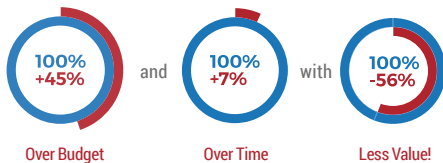
**Info-Tech's Consultants Are the Research-Backed, Vendor-Agnostic IV&V Professionals That You Can Trust To Keep Your IT Projects on Track.**

Independent verification and validation (IV&V) is a structured advisory service that project sponsors acquire to build quality into their IT development or implementation projects. Rather than perform a project audit to detect lack of compliance, Info-Tech's IV&V consultants partner with your teams to perform ongoing assessments of project viability and delivery and recommend better ways to align with best practices, control risks, and ensure benefit realization.

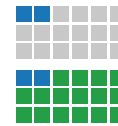
**While IV&V is required for large projects in the public sector, other industry players often partner with an IV&V consultant for projects involving high investment or risk.**

## Consider This:

On average, large IT projects run



Only 8 in 100 software implementation projects realize 81 to 100% of projected benefits



IV&V costs 3% to 10% of a total project budget but is shown to return 2x to 10x that value in ROI.

## Our IV&V Assessments Will Help You and Your Projects:

- ✓ Comply with laws and regulations
- ✓ Secure continued funding
- ✓ Control risks
- ✓ Detect issues early and proactively
- ✓ Meet project milestones
- ✓ Improve solution quality
- ✓ Lower total cost of ownership
- ✓ Enhance management oversight

## Our Approach: How Info-Tech Consulting Applies Its IV&V Expertise

### Strategy (one time)

- Align with project sponsors
- Outline IV&V participation in activities, meetings, demos, and assessment interviews
- Confirm desired IV&V metrics, assessment components, and report template
- Customize IV&V framework
- Establish IV&V milestones and in-scope stakeholders

### Analysis (ongoing)

- Collect and review project documents and deliverables
- Shadow meetings/ceremonies
- Participate in steering committee as needed
- Perform onsite interviews with key project stakeholders
- Verify findings and progress since the previous report
- Validate key gaps

### Delivery (ongoing)

- Build business strategy report
- Prepare strategic roadmap to target state initiatives
- Finalize strategic plan and discuss governance
- Outline timing, effort, skill sets, and business case
- Develop strategic communication and change management plan

To learn more about why Info-Tech is the right IV&V partner for you, please contact us at: [consultingsales@infotech.com](mailto:consultingsales@infotech.com)